

## House of Representatives State of Utah

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Mr. Speaker,

The Government Operations Committee recommends **S.B. 171**, INTERVENTION AMENDMENTS, by Senator J. Stuart Adams, be replaced and reports a favorable recommendation on **1st Sub. S.B. 171**, INTERVENTION AMENDMENTS with the following amendments, and, due to unknown fiscal impact, recommends it be referred to the Rules Committee pending completion of a fiscal note.

- 1. Page 3, Line 83 through Page 4, Line 88:
  - 83 (d) Intervention by the Legislature pursuant to Subsection (4)(b) or (c) does not limit
  - 84 the duty of the attorney general to appear and prosecute legal actions or defend state

    agencies, officers or
  - 85 employees as otherwise provided by law.
  - 86 (e) In any action in which the Legislature intervenes or participates, legislative counsel
  - 87 <u>and the attorney general</u> shall function independently from { and on equal footing with the attorney general } each other in the
  - 88 representation of their respective clients.

Respectfully,

Jeremy A. Peterson Chair

Voting: 9-0-2

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